

POPE LEO IS UNCONSCIOUS

Feared that End is Not Far Distant.

CONDITION MOST CRITICAL

He is Now Worse Than Previous to His Rally--Passed Restless Morning.

Rome, July 13.—This morning's bulletin says: "Before midnight the Pope was tranquil, but afterwards became agitated at intervals. A physical examination shows there has been no change in the condition of his throat since day before yesterday. The action of the kidneys is always scarce. His Holiness' general condition is somewhat depressed. His pulse is 82, respiration 22, temperature 38.2 centigrade."

Toward noon the Pope lost consciousness for a time and is now barely more than semi-conscious. Cardinal Matti told the Publishers Press correspondent the end might come at any time. The Cardinal thought the Pope is in a worse condition than previous to his rally.

In the middle of the afternoon he is still in a state of semi-consciousness. The Pope suffered from dizziness during the day and had feeling hallucinations. An examination of the patient shows the condition of the kidneys to be worse. The doctors fear his system is gradually approaching a state of dissolution.



DRS. LAPPONI AND MAZZONI.

Rome, July 13.—The slight improvement in Pope Leo's condition which was observed several times and announced by his physicians to the great gratification of the members of the Vatican household, who hung upon every word from the sick room, has not been maintained. While there are no new symptoms of a decidedly unfavorable character, it is admitted that his holiness is growing gradually weaker. The pontiff apparently grows less and less able to withstand the drain on his vitality which his condition is causing.

Dr. Lapponi was at one time so encouraged by the improvement in his august patient's condition that he announced that hope of recovery was not precluded. The view taken by the other physicians and those surrounding the pope was less optimistic.

Bulletins Not Credited.

"I think he will live to be a hundred," said an Italian priest in the courtyard of the Vatican as he read the latest bulletin regarding the pope's condition.

"I don't believe this bulletin," said another. "I don't either," chimed in a third. "but it doesn't do to say so here."

These expressions accurately represent the hopeless difference of opinion exhibited by those who have to rely for information regarding the pontiff's illness solely upon official bulletins.

Cardinal Sottili said that life was only kept in the tired body of the pontiff by the constant use of powerful stimulants, and other persons, equally reliable, who saw the pope and who had seen him on previous days of his illness agree with Cardinal Sottili in saying that death has made all his ravages save the separation of the soul and the body.

Yet the doctors announce to the public that Pope Leo's general condition is satisfactory. An explanation of the apparent contradiction lies in the fact that the doctors expected his holiness to die long before this and are now exercising in their bulletins an excess of caution and a comparative method of expression which is incomprehensible to the lay mind. Moreover, the extraordinary vitality of their patient has, so to speak, annihilated every medical theory held by the doctors in Italy, so it is scarcely surprising that Drs. Rosconi, Mazzoni and Lapponi content themselves with daily recording the symptoms of progression and retrogression which succeed each other with such baffling irregularity as to forbid the risk of making a definite prognosis for the public. In private they only disagree as to the number of days the struggle will last.

The weather conditions here are ideal, and they contributed greatly to the comfort of the patient. Usually Rome reeks in midsummer with the fierce heat of the sun and exhalation from the surrounding marshes, but now the sun shines from a cloudless sky, and the heat is tempered by balmy western breezes. The temperature seldom rises above 85 degrees F. during the day, and the nights are refreshingly cool.

BURLINGTON 3, RUTLAND 2.

Home Team Won Before 1,300 People--Hartman the Star.

Burlington, July 11.—In the Northern league today Burlington defeated Rutland by a score of 3 to 2. The game was fast and exciting throughout and witnessed by 1,300 people. Hartman, Burlington's shortstop, formerly on the Fordham college team, made some phenomenal one-handed catches and really won the game by his errorless all-round playing. Whitebeck pitched well for Burlington and Donnelly for Rutland.

St. Albans Won.

St. Albans, July 11.—The St. Albans team defeated Plattsburg this afternoon on the home grounds, 3 to 4.

LEAGUE BASE BALL.

St. Louis Nationals Won Ten-Inning Game.

Yesterday's National League scores: At St. Louis, St. Louis 6, Philadelphia 4 (10 innings.) At Chicago, Chicago 6, Brooklyn 1. At Cincinnati, New York 7, Cincinnati 1.

Saturday's National League results:

Pittsburg 10, Boston 2.
Brooklyn 2, Boston 0.
New York 8, Cincinnati 6.
St. Louis 7, Philadelphia 4.

National League Standing.

Won.	Lost.	Pct.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Pittsburg	20	.754	Brooklyn	21	.529
New York	24	.697	Boston	27	.591
Chicago	23	.599	St. Louis	28	.561
Cincinnati	23	.545	Phila.	29	.520

Saturday's American League results:

Boston 8, Chicago 5.
Cleveland 10, Philadelphia 3.
Detroit 4, Washington 0.
New York 5, St. Louis 4 (11 innings.)

American League Standing.

Won.	Lost.	Pct.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Boston	25	.663	Chicago	22	.492
Phila.	20	.521	Detroit	22	.492
Cleveland	20	.521	St. Louis	20	.444
New York	22	.554	Wash.	19	.438

HORSE THIEF CAPTURED.

Charles E. Young Arrested at Bennington Today.

Bennington, July 13.—Charles Rufus Young, the most noted horse thief in New England, was arrested this morning near Arlington. He was released from the Vermont state prison in May after serving 10 years for stealing horses.

In all he has served over 40 years in prison for that crime. Since being released he has stolen eight horses. Young was shot in the head by one of the officers pursuing him.

Hurt in Queer Accident.

Bay Shore, N. Y., July 13.—Miss Mollie Osterhout was badly injured here while spraying carbolic acid on a wound on her pet bull terrier. The glass syringe failed to work properly, and the acid gushed out at the wrong end, covering her face and neck. It is feared she may lose the sight of one eye.

Reservation to Be Opened.

Washington, July 13.—The secretary of the Interior has authorized contracts to be made for the survey of the lands in the Utah Indian reservation in Utah preparatory to the allotment of the lands to the Indians and the subsequent opening of the remainder of the reservation to white settlement.

NEW OATH FOR FOREIGNERS

All Must Swear on Naturalization Not to Favor Assassination.

All foreigners who hereafter are granted naturalization papers must subscribe to a new form of oath drawn up according to provisions made by congress soon after the assassination of President McKinley, says the Chicago Chronicle. The new form is now being prepared by County Attorney Sims, who has decided to adopt uniform papers for all the various courts.

The foreigner must swear he is not opposed to "organized government, that he is not a member of or affiliated with any organization teaching disaffection or opposition to all organized government, that he does not advocate or teach the duty, necessity or propriety of the unlawful assaulting or killing of any officer or officers, either of specific individuals or of officers generally of the government of the United States or of any other organized government because of his or their official character and that he has not violated any of the provisions of the act of the second session of the Fifty-seventh congress of the United States of America entitled 'An act to regulate the immigration of aliens into the United States,' approved March 3, 1903."

Up to Date Purses.

Tiny calfskin "Leo purses" for small change are to be seen in the hands of up to date shoppers now, says the New York Tribune. They look for all the world like antique water jars, about three or four inches in length and from one to two inches wide, with a stitched calf "handle" at one side and a little bulge at the bottom. The handle is wound about one finger and the entire purse grasped firmly in the hand. They come in red, green and gray and are sometimes worn inside the waist for carrying jewels. They are designed primarily, however, for money alone; but, other than their novelty, their special fitness for this purpose is evident only in their unclosing mouths, which make it an easy matter to "get at" change in a hurry and save the finger tips of gloves.

Embalming.

The danger of one's being buried alive is greatly reduced by the fact that three out of four of all dying are embalmed, a necessarily fatal operation.

NEGRO WAS CUT TO PIECES

Mob Insane With Anger Skinned Him Alive

HAD ASSAULTED A GIRL

Crowd Took Mememtoes in Shape of Toes and Pieces of Skin--Body Then Burned.

Wheeling, W. Va., July 12.—A dispatch to the Register from Bluefield, says:

The full details of one of the blackest crimes that has ever blotted the history of the state has just reached this city. In Devon, a little 14-year-old girl was assaulted by a negro. The negro was afterward lynched by an enraged mob of over 200 men. The little girl was caught a short distance from her home by the negro and carried to a neighboring wood, where she was tied to a tree, bound and gagged. Her absence was noted by the neighbors, who immediately formed themselves into a searching party. The girl was found in an almost dying condition, but was able to tell her story.

After a consultation it was decided to lay in wait for the girl's assailant. In a short time he appeared and was about to renew his assault upon the helpless child when the searchers made for him. He was dragged to the village common and bound to a tree. Only by the greatest effort of the leaders was the crowd held from tearing the man to pieces. His clothing was torn from his body, and pins, tacks, pen knives and every conceivable weapon of torture was stuck into the negro's flesh as he struggled and pleaded for life.

The almost lifeless form of his little victim was then placed before the eyes of the negro, while willing hands cut the tongue from his swollen mouth. His cries became incoherent and before the enraged citizens could be checked, the skin was literally torn from his body and distributed among the villagers. The negro died with his eyes on the little girl he had assaulted. His heart was then cut out with jackknives, his toes and fingers chopped off and carried away as mementoes. His mangled body was then soaked with kerosene and fired.

RECOVERED THE HORSES.

Not the Rutland Horse Thieves Escaped Arrest.

Rutland, July 12.—The frequent horse stealings which have kept the officers pretty busy of late in this section of the county, culminated in an unsuccessful attempt to steal a horse here Saturday morning and the theft of two horses from the fair ground stables some time last night. Both animals were recovered tonight, the thieves being driven from the wagon under fire from a sheriff's posse near Arlington. The thieves escaped.

STOCKS PANICKY.

Low Record Marked in Standard Issues.

New York, July 13.—The stock market was semi-panicky today and further low records in various standard issues resulted. In the first hour the Pennsylvania fell to 129, the lowest price since 1898; Atchafalpa opened at 63 1/2, the lowest price yet touched; St. Paul fell to 143 7/8, the lowest for several years. New York Central touched 114 1/2, lowest in five years.

WAS RIDING A LOG.

Bellows Falls Young Man Swept to His Death.

Bellows Falls, July 12.—While bathing in the Connecticut river, at 4.30 o'clock this afternoon, a 19-year-old lad named Murray was drowned. He was riding a log and was carried beyond his depth, and, rolling from the log, met death before assistance could be called. The body had not been recovered up to midnight. It is reported that Murray's father is employed in Fitchburg, Mass.

GENERO-DESCOTEAUX.

Well-known Websterville People Married Today.

John Genero and Miss Eva Descoteaux were united in marriage by Fr. Daigault at St. Sylvester's Church, Websterville, this morning. The wedding was at 7 o'clock and the bridal party left this noon for Montreal and Ottawa. They will reside in Websterville and will be at home to their friends after August 1.

Free School Lunches.

The Swiss canton of Zurich provides free food in the schools for 1,330 children of poor parents.

Different Now.

Harriet Martineau visited the United States in 1840 and reported that only seven occupations were open to women. They were teaching, needlework, keeping boarders, working in cotton factories, typesetting, bookbinding and household service.

Trees and Water.

The minimum rainfall at which trees will grow is twenty inches.

MASONS HAD FINE PICNIC

Large Crowd Went to Caledonia Park.

HAD GAMES AND SPORTS.

Day Was Just Right For a Picnic and All Passed Pleasant Day.

Caledonia Park was the scene of an enjoyable picnic Saturday when Operative Lodge of Foreign Masons held their annual outing there. All other Masons were invited and many attended.

The 10:30 A. M. Wells River train took about 40 Masons with their wives and children to the grounds, and the electric during the rest of the day took many more so that there was a large gathering, and to say the least this picnic was one of the most successful and pleasant ones that the lodge has ever held.

The shady grove and the cool breeze at the grounds made it an ideal place to spend the day. The ladies brought well-filled lunch baskets, and ice cream and lemonade were served at the stands. George Patterson and Alfred Robertson were there with their violins and many a reel and waltz was danced in the large pavilion, to their excellent music.

The games and races, without which no picnic is complete, were unusually interesting.

The first game was base ball between two picked teams going by the names of Granite and Operative and after three most exciting and professionally played innings, and after a score of pitchers on both sides had been played out, the game was called with the score standing 8 to 4 in favor of the Granite players.

The Granite players were Scott, Mackle, Gordon, Bird, Counts, Brook, Smith, Patterson, Stewart.

Operative, Chessor, Christie, Troupe, J. Emale, Robertson, Forbes, Reid, Creed, Smith.

Next in the order of sports were several races by the ladies, young girls and boys, prizes being given to the three best in each race.

The last game of the day was association football between the married and single men which was most exciting and well played game. First Constable Counts especially distinguished himself as a football player. The game resulted in a tie each side making one score.

The results of the races were as follows: Young girls' race, Georgiana Brock, Mary Gordon, Mary Birnie. Girls' race, Mary Alexander, M. McKenzie, Jennie McDonald. Young boys' race, Barry McKindass, G. Milton, Wilmet Kynoch. Boys' race, F. Fraser, W. Milton, W. Mackie, Walter Milne. Married ladies' race, Mrs. J. Lamont, Mrs. Will. Special prize, married ladies' race, Mrs. William Moir.

The committee which had charge of the day's outing was as follows: R. Kynoch, G. Troup, E. Chessor, W. Birnie, J. Lind, J. Scott, and T. Brook, secretary.

WATER SUPPLY FOR BARRE.

A Cabot Physician Recommends Peacham Pond.

C. L. Hathaway, M. D., of South Cabot thinks that either Barre or Montpelier should take advantage of Peacham pond for its water supply and gives the following reasons for thinking so: "Though twenty miles distant from these cities, it is accessible because of its high elevation. The durability, abundance and purity of its water under proper control are considerations of importance. Peacham pond is a handsome sheet of water, circular in outline, about one mile across and is surrounded by forest-clad hills sloping almost to the water's edge. It is fed almost entirely by cold springs or subterranean streams and its water is of great depth, cold, little affected by drought and little, if any, fouled by mud even during the severest storms."

"It is a natural reservoir of spring water in a wilderness, unspoiled by human agency or the excretions of domestic animals, and seems to possess the requisite conditions for purity. Under municipal management these conditions could be maintained and the surrounding territory be improved by the removal and destruction of decaying debris caused by the woodman's axe. The forest surrounding this pond, like other Vermont woodlands, will soon be denuded of its merchantable timber and the territory then probably be for sale. It might be that the 'water supply from this pond would be sufficient for domestic purposes for both Montpelier and Barre, and the expense of the water system be not difficult to bear."

Granite Company Assigns.

Lewiston, Me., July 11.—A Farmington special to the Journal says the assignment of the Maine and New Hampshire Granite Co. to George P. Martin of Auburn and Henry P. Cox of Portland was made today. A. R. Cushman of Auburn is president of the company. The amount of liabilities and assets are unknown at this time. Mr. Cushman was the head of the big Auburn shoe firm which failed this week for \$400,000.

Your attention is called to the closing out auction today (Monday) July 13th. See advertisement of Boston Bargain Store.

MONTPELIER CUTTERS ARE AGAIN AT WORK

Conference Committees Have Agreed on a Settlement--Manufacturers Meet Tonight.

Montpelier, July 13.—The stone sheds which have been shut down since last Tuesday noon opened up again this afternoon, pending a settlement of the local difficulty between the local branch of the cutters' union and the Montpelier section of the Barre Manufacturers' association. It is understood that the conference committees of the two parties to the difficulty have reached a settlement, satisfactory to the union and which is likely to be accepted by the Montpelier manufacturers meeting this evening.

Whether the future difficulties are settled by the Barre Association or whether the Montpelier manufacturers will settle future differences separately from the Barre organization will be decided this evening.

A. ANDERSON'S FUNERAL.

Presbyterian Church Was Crowded With Many Friends.

The funeral of the late Alex. Anderson of the firm of A. Anderson & Sons, granite dealers, was held from the Presbyterian church yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The church was crowded with the many friends of the deceased. Clan Gordon, No. 12, Order of Scottish Clans, of which Mr. Anderson was a member, attended in a body.

Rev. Thomas H. Mitchell, pastor of the church, officiated, assisted by Rev. E. Wilmet Cummings, a former pastor of the church. Music was furnished by a chorus of six voices, while the bearers were James Mackay, George B. Milne, William Charles, William A. Moir, William Dickie, William Mackay, all of whom are claustrans, two having been also associated with the deceased in the Granite Manufacturers' Association.

The floral tributes were many and very beautiful. The interment was in Hope cemetery.

SHOT HIS SON.

Thomas Lynch of Montpelier Used Fire-arm Recklessly.

Montpelier, July 13.—The five-year-old son of Thomas Lynch, a former member of the granite manufacturing firm of Lynch & McMahon and Lynch Brothers, was accidentally shot in the side Saturday evening. Lynch was fooling with a loaded revolver at his home on Charles street when one chamber was discharged. The ball went through a partition and struck the lad who was in an adjoining room. Dr. C. E. Chandler extracted the ball and the boy's life is not in danger.

Lynch was arrested and taken before Judge Woodward on a charge of breach of the peace, but was allowed to go on his own recognizance. Ball in the sun of \$150 being furnished, no little excitement was caused on the street in the evening when it was reported that Lynch had intentionally shot his son. The facts in the case do not substantiate such a report.

After Lynch had gone home a complaint was again sent to the police station that he was raising a disturbance. A second complaint was made out, but when the policeman arrived at the house everything was quiet, and a warrant was not served.

SELLS HIS SHETLANDS.

George Cassie Disposes of Herd of 41 Ponies.

George Cassie, the veteran Shetland pony breeder, has sold his entire herd of Shetlands to Dr. S. B. Elliott, secretary of the Willard Hospital at Bedford, Mass. The herd includes 41 animals, brood mares, colts and stallions. Mr. Cassie was paid \$2,400. The ponies will be shipped a little later to Bedford.

Mr. Cassie is undecided whether he will handle any more Shetlands or not, but probably will. He has been engaged in the business for the past 18 years, at times having as many as 70 ponies in his herd. The climate here seems to agree with the animals.

CHARGED WITH LARCENY.

George Whitecher Arrested Saturday. Trial Today.

Montpelier, July 13.—George Whitecher of Plainfield was arrested Saturday night on the charge of larceny at the feed store of Arch. Batcher, of that place, the store having been robbed of about \$40 last Thursday evening. Whitecher will be given a hearing this afternoon.

GOES TO TRIAL.

Leonard Relation Taken to Northfield Today.

Montpelier, July 13.—Leonard Relation, the Northfield man who has been in the county jail, waiting for trial on the charge of furnishing, was taken to his home town for trial today. After serving a ten days' sentence for intoxication he was arrested on the charge of furnishing.

MONTPELIER DEATH.

E. E. Graham Aged 77 Years Died Yesterday.

Montpelier, July 13.—E. E. Graham, a retired merchant and lumber dealer, died yesterday at his home on East Liberty street, aged 77 years. The funeral will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Pleasant Surprise.

George Gay, who is soon to leave for his old home in England, was completely surprised by about thirty of his friends, at the home of E. C. Veale, Saturday evening, and was presented with a handsome watch chain, charm, and a very serviceable travelling bag, for which Mr. Gay very feelingly thanked them. The time was very enjoyably passed with songs and dances and at midnight the party broke up wishing him bon voyage, quick return, etc.

MYSTERIOUSLY DISAPPEARED

Malvina Corbeil Not Seen Since Friday.

SHE STARTED FOR CHURCH

So Far as Known No One Has Seen Her--She is 18 Years Old and Dark Complexioned.

Miss Malvina Corbeil, the eighteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adelard Corbeil of Hillside Ave. has disappeared from home as mysteriously as if the earth had opened up and engulfed her, and her parents and friends are very much agitated over the strange affair. Although the police all efforts to find any trace of her have been fruitless.

The last seen of the young lady was when she left home last Friday morning at 7:30 o'clock, prayer book in hand, to go to mass at St. Monica's church, which is about half a mile from her home. It has been impossible to ascertain whether she went to the church or not. Those who were there cannot say, and Fr. P. M. McKenna, the pastor, is not able to say whether she was there or not. He has no recollection of seeing her there. After she left home there is not the least trace of her movements.

The girl did not return home at noon, but her parents did not think that was peculiar as she had friends where she might have gone for a short time. When six o'clock came and the young lady had not put in an appearance, they became worried. Then they went to the various places in this city where the girl might be staying but discovered no trace of her. Friday night they gave up the search in this city, thinking she might have gone to South Barre to friends. The next morning, Saturday, they went to South Barre, but were told there that she had not been seen.

Then the disappearance was reported to the police department, the members of which have been working ever since but with no success.

The parents can give no reason why the girl should have wanted to leave home as they say there was no trouble whatever, nor are they willing to entertain a suspicion of foul play. They also told the police that their daughter had not been keeping company with any young man recently.

Miss Corbeil is 18 years old, of medium height and quite well developed. When she went away Friday morning she wore a green skirt with black stripes, and a shirt waist and carried about her neck a chain and locket. In the locket were pictures of her father and mother. The girl is dark complexioned, with black hair and brown eyes.

She also wore a black hat with trimming of white roses. The girl was very quiet and according to those acquainted with her rarely spoke unless directly addressed.

So far as her parents know their daughter had no money with her. It was thought possible that she had started for a small place about 15 miles from Concord, N. H., the residence of a young man with whom she was acquainted, but the father does not know how she could get there. The young man had not been seen by any of the family since he left Barre three years ago, and they do not think he has been here recently.

Mrs. Corbeil is in a very agitated state of mind over her daughter's strange disappearance.

BAND CONCERT SUBSCRIPTIONS.

If Concerts Are to be Given This Summer Subscriptions Should be Made at Once.

The Times is in receipt of \$30.50 subscriptions to the band concert fund. In addition to this the Telegram has also received quite an amount, but this does not represent all that has been promised, only what is paid in. If we are to have concerts this summer sufficient subscriptions must be secured within the next few days to guarantee them. A paper has been circulated through the stone sheds and quite a sum has been pledged there. A little effort will make the concerts a sure thing. Will you help?

Foresters Attention!

The annual private picnic of Court Granite City, F. of A., will be held at Caledonia Park, on Saturday, July 18th. Members are entitled to bring their wives and families or if unmarried a lady friend, but no more. Please leave your names with the committee so that they may be able to provide accordingly. William Williams, John Forbes, James Veale, amusement committee.

Socialists Attention.

A regular meeting of the Local Barre of the Socialist Party will be held in the Wheelock block on Tuesday evening, July 14 at 7:30.

Election of officers and other important business will come up for discussion. Alexander Ironside, corresponding secretary.

Court Rob Roy No. 6, F. of A.

To members of Court Rob Roy No. 6, F. of A. Regular meeting held July 14 will be a summoned meeting. All members are requested to attend. Business of the evening election of financial secretary, Frank Coyle, F. S.